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TITLE OF INVENTION: SOLID CONTAINING GROUPS WHICH ARE BOUND TO THE BASE STRUCTURE VIA UREATHANE GROUPS AND WHICH CONTAIN BONDS THAT CAN BE ACTIVATED BY ACTINIC RADIATION, AND THE USE THEREOF

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